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## Checklist of White House Press Releases

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The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

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### ***Released December 6***

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

### ***Released December 7***

Transcript of a press gaggle by Deputy Press Secretary Trent Duffy

### ***Released December 8***

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Statement by the Press Secretary announcing that the President signed H.R. 4818 and S. 2618

### ***Released December 9***

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Statement by the Press Secretary announcing the President's upcoming visit to Europe

### ***Released December 10***

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Statement by the Press Secretary on the upcoming visit of Prime Minister Silvio Berlusconi of Italy

Statement by the Press Secretary announcing that the President signed H.R. 2655, H.R. 4302, S. 437, S. 1466, S. 2192, S. 2486, S. 2873, and S. 3014

Statement by the Press Secretary on Bernard B. Kerik's withdrawing his name from consideration for Secretary of Homeland Security

Announcement: Securing Our Economic Future: White House Conference on the Economy, December 15–16, 2004

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## Acts Approved by the President

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### ***Approved December 3 \****

H.R. 1047 / Public Law 108–429  
Miscellaneous Trade and Technical Corrections Act of 2004

H.R. 1630 / Public Law 108–430  
Petrified Forest National Park Expansion Act of 2004

H.R. 2912 / Public Law 108–431  
To reaffirm the inherent sovereign rights of the Osage Tribe to determine its membership and form of government

H.J. Res. 110 / Public Law 108–432  
Recognizing the 60th anniversary of the Battle of the Bulge during World War II

H.J. Res. 111 / Public Law 108–433  
Appointing the day for the convening of the first session of the One Hundred Ninth Congress

H.J. Res. 115 / Public Law 108–434  
Making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2005, and for other purposes

S. 150 / Public Law 108–435  
Internet Tax Nondiscrimination Act

S. 434 / Public Law 108–436  
Idaho Panhandle National Forest Improvement Act of 2004

S. 1146 / Public Law 108–437  
Three Affiliated Tribes Health Facility Compensation Act

S. 1241 / Public Law 108–438  
Kate Mullany National Historic Site Act

S. 1727 / Public Law 108–439  
To authorize additional appropriations for the Reclamation Safety of Dams Act of 1978

S. 2214 / Public Law 108–440  
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3150 Great Northern Avenue in Missoula, Montana, as the "Mike Mansfield Post Office"

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\* These Public Laws were not received in time for inclusion in the appropriate issue.

S. 2302 / Public Law 108–441  
To improve access to physicians in medically underserved areas

S. 2640 / Public Law 108–442  
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1050 North Hills Boulevard in Reno, Nevada, as the “Guardians of Freedom Memorial Post Office Building” and to authorize the installation of a plaque at such site, and for other purposes

S. 2693 / Public Law 108–443  
To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1475 Western Avenue, Suite 45, in Albany, New York, as the “Lieutenant John F. Finn Post Office”

S. 2965 / Public Law 108–444  
To amend the Livestock Mandatory Price Reporting Act of 1999 to modify the termination date for mandatory price reporting

S. 2484 / Public Law 108–445  
Department of Veterans Affairs Health Care Personnel Enhancement Act of 2004

H.R. 1350 / Public Law 108–446  
Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004

S. 2042 / Private Law 108–5  
For the relief of Rocco A. Trecoasta of Fort Lauderdale, Florida

***Approved December 8***

H.R. 4818 / Public Law 108–447  
Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005

S. 2618 / Public Law 108–448  
To amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to extend medicare cost-sharing for the medicare part B premium for qualifying individuals through September 2005

***Approved December 10***

H.R. 2655 / Public Law 108–449  
To amend and extend the Irish Peace Process Cultural and Training Program Act of 1998

H.R. 4302 / Public Law 108–450  
District of Columbia Mental Health Civil Commitment Modernization Act of 2004

S. 437 / Public Law 108–451  
Arizona Water Settlements Act

S. 1466 / Public Law 108–452  
Alaska Land Transfer Acceleration Act

S. 2192 / Public Law 108–453  
Cooperative Research and Technology Enhancement (CREATE) Act of 2004

S. 2486 / Public Law 108–454  
Veterans Benefits Improvement Act of 2004

S. 2873 / Public Law 108–455  
To extend the authority of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Iowa to hold court in Rock Island, Illinois

S. 3014 / Public Law 108–456  
To reauthorize the Harmful Algal Bloom and Hypoxia Research and Control Act of 1998, and for other purposes